

**1. LISTING OF THE CLAIMS:**

*This listing of the claims will replace all prior versions and listing of claims in the application.*

1.-75. (Canceled)

76. (Previously Presented) A hydrophobic surface treatment composition comprising:

(a) about 2% by weight of a methoxy functionalized polysiloxane having a viscosity of about 20 cps at 25°C;

(b) about 97.4% by weight of a solvent; and

(c) about 0.6% by weight of acetic acid.

77. (Currently Amended) A method of manufacturing a treated surface, comprising applying a hydrophobic surface treatment composition in accordance with claim ~~71 or claim 76~~, claim 88, or claim 99, to a surface of a substrate, said surface having at least one hydroxyl group attached thereon.

78. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 77, wherein said substrate is selected from the group consisting of glass, metal, wood, and polymers.
79. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 78, wherein said substrate is glass.
80. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 77, wherein a hydrophobic film is formed on said surface by evaporation of a solvent in said composition.
81. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 80, wherein evaporation of said solvent occurs at ambient temperature.
82. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 80, wherein evaporation of said solvent is effected by heating.
83. (New) The hydrophobic surface treatment composition of claim 76, wherein said solvent is selected from the group consisting of ethylene glycol, ethylene glycol monobutyl ether, ethylene glycol acetate monoethyl ether, diethylene glycol, diethylene glycol monobutyl ether, diacetone alcohol, toluene, xylene, ethyl acetate, butyl acetate, methyl ethyl ketone,

methyl isobutyl ketone, methyl ethyl ketoxime, (mono)propylene glycol tertiary butyl ether, propoxypropanol, mineral spirits, and isoparaffin.

84. (New) The hydrophobic surface treatment composition of claim 76, wherein said solvent is selected from the group consisting of methanol, ethanol, isopropanol, isobutanol, 1-propanol, 2-propanol, 3-propanol, 1-butanol, 2-butanol, 3-butanol, tert-butyl alcohol, methyl butanol, dimethyl butanol, cyclohexanol, phenol, tert-butyl phenol, 2-ethylhexanol, 2-ethoxyethanol, 1-dodecanol, and mixtures thereof.
85. (New) The hydrophobic surface treatment composition of claim 76, further comprising a plasticizer, and antioxidant, a light stabilizer, a mildecide, a fungicide, a surfactant, or a flow control additive.
86. (New) The hydrophobic surface treatment composition of claim 76, substantially free of an external curing agent.
87. (New) The hydrophobic surface treatment composition of claim 76, wherein said solvent has a boiling point ranging from about 100°F to about 400°F.

88. (New) A hydrophobic surface treatment composition that comprises:
- (i) from about 1% to about 5% by weight of the reaction product obtained by reacting an amino-functional polydimethylsiloxane and 1,2-epoxytetradecane, in the presence of a base;
  - (ii) from about 75% to about 99.5% by weight of a solvent; and
  - (iii) from about 1% to about 15% by weight of a cosolvent.
89. (New) The hydrophobic surface treatment of claim 88, wherein said solvent is selected from the group consisting of ethylene glycol, ethylene glycol monobutyl ether, ethylene glycol acetate monoethyl ether, diethylene glycol, diethylene glycol monobutyl ether, diacetone alcohol, toluene, xylene, ethyl acetate, butyl acetate, methyl ethyl ketone, methyl isobutyl ketone, methyl ethyl ketoxime, (mono)propylene glycol tertiary butyl ether, propoxypropanol, mineral spirits, and an isoparaffin.
90. (New) The hydrophobic surface treatment of claim 88, wherein said solvent is selected from the group consisting of methanol, ethanol, isopropanol, isobutanol, 1-propanol, 2-propanol, 3-propanol, 1-butanol, 2-butanol, 3-butanol, tert-butyl alcohol, methyl butanol,

dimethyl butanol, cyclohexanol, phenol, tert-butyl phenol, 2-ethylhexanol, 2-ethoxyethanol, 1-dodecanol, and mixtures thereof.

91. The hydrophobic surface treatment of claim 88, wherein said solvent has a boiling point ranging from about 100°F to about 400°F.
92. (New) The hydrophobic surface treatment of claim 91, wherein said solvent has a boiling point ranging from about 150°F to about 350°F
93. (New) The hydrophobic surface treatment of claim 88, wherein said hydrophobic surface treatment composition is substantially free of an external curing agent.
94. (New) The hydrophobic surface treatment of claim 88, wherein said hydrophobic surface treatment composition further comprises a catalyst.
95. (New) The hydrophobic surface treatment of claim 94, wherein said catalyst is an acid, or a metal salt of an organic acid.

96. (New) The hydrophobic surface treatment of claim 94, wherein said catalyst is an acid selected from the group consisting of acetic acid, sulfuric acid, nitric acid, phosphoric acid, and hydrochloric acid.
97. (New) The hydrophobic surface treatment of claim 96, wherein said catalyst is acetic acid or sulfuric acid.
98. (New) The hydrophobic surface treatment composition of claim 88, further comprising a plasticizer, and antioxidant, a light stabilizer, a mildecide, a fungicide, a surfactant, or a flow control additive.
99. (New) A hydrophobic surface treatment composition comprising:
- (a) about 2% by weight of a methoxy functionalized polysiloxane having a viscosity of about 20 cps at 25°C;
  - (b) about 97.4% by weight of a hydrocarbon solvent; and
  - (c) about 0.6% by weight of an acid catalyst,

wherein said hydrophobic surface treatment composition is substantially free of an external curing agent.

100. (New) The hydrophobic surface treatment of claim 99, wherein said hydrocarbon solvent comprises mineral spirits or an isoparaffin.
101. (New) The hydrophobic surface treatment composition of claim 99, further comprising a plasticizer, and antioxidant, a light stabilizer, a mildecide, a fungicide, a surfactant, or a flow control additive.